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Table 10: Servings of Whole Grain Breads and Tortillas Eaten by California Adolescents (N=1,217)

Yesterday, how many servings of whole-grain breads did you eat? This would include 100% whole wheat, wheatberry, or bran bread and bagels or whole wheat tortillas, but not flour or corn tortillas.

	Servings of Whole Grain Breads and Tortillas Reported,			
	Percent of Adolescents			
	0	1-3	4+	
Total	25.6	58.7	15.7	
Gender				
Male	21.4	58.7	19.9	***
Female	30.1	58.7	11.2	
Ethnicity				
White	19.6	62.1	18.3	***
African American	21.3	63.9	14.8	
Latino	31.2	59.5	9.3	
Asian/Other	28.5	44.6	26.9	
Gender by Age				
Male				
12-13	18.1	67.6	14.3	**
14-15	20.3	54.1	25.7	
16-17	26.1	55.4	18.4	
Female				
12-13	30.8	58.0	11.2	**
14-15	23.4	62.3	14.3	
16-17	39.2	54.2	6.6	
Income				
<\$15,000	35.2	61.0	3.8	***
\$15,000 - \$24,999	25.7	64.4	9.9	
\$25,000 - \$34,999	23.6	62.4	14.1	
\$35,000 - \$49,999	29.3	57.1	13.6	
\$50,000 - \$74,999	14.6	66.8	18.7	
≥ \$75,000	23.5	53.0	23.5	
CalFresh Status, % FPL¹				
Participant	32.8	59.3	7.9	***
Likely Eligible ≤ 130%	26.7	63.2	10.1	
Not Eligible > 185%	22.7	55.2	22.1	
Smoking Status				
Non-Smoker	24.9	59.6	15.5	*
Smoker	36.7	45.2	18.1	
Physical Activity Status				
Regular	22.1	60.7	17.3	***
Irregular	31.5	55.5	13.1	
Overweight Status				
Not Overweight	24.0	60.7	15.3	
Overweight/Obese	27.1	54.2	18.7	

¹Survey respondents between 130-185% FPL

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Some numbers may not add to total due to rounding. Numbers were rounded to the nearest tenth of a serving.

Chi Square Test: * p<.05, ** p<.01, *** p<.001

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Table 12: Consumption of Cereal by California Adolescents (N=1,220)

Yesterday how many bowls of hot or cold cereal did you eat?

What cereal(s) did you eat the most of yesterday?

	Reported Eating Any Cereal ¹ , Percent of Adolescents
Total	55.5
Gender	
Male	60.2 ***
Female	50.5
Ethnicity	
White	54.9
African American	53.0
Latino	58.3
Asian/Other	50.4
Gender by Age	
Male	
12-13	61.8
14-15	61.4
16-17	57.1
Female	
12-13	62.4 ***
14-15	47.6
16-17	42.0
Income	
<\$15,000	56.7
\$15,000 - \$24,999	50.2
\$25,000 - \$34,999	50.2
\$35,000 - \$49,999	62.1
\$50,000 - \$74,999	48.5
≥ \$75,000	59.1
CalFresh Status, % FPL²	
Participant	56.7
Likely Eligible ≤ 130%	53.3
Not Eligible > 185%	56.2
Smoking Status	
Non-Smoker	55.7
Smoker	51.7
Physical Activity Status	
Regular	55.9
Irregular	54.8
Overweight Status	
Not Overweight	57.0
Overweight/Obese	51.7

¹ One bowl equals one serving.

² Survey respondents between 130-185% FPL omitted from analysis due to insufficient sample size.

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Table 13: Consumption of Cereal and High Fiber Cereal by California Adolescents (N=1,220)

Yesterday how many bowls of cereal did you eat?

What cereal did you eat the most of yesterday?

Any Cereal¹	Percent of Adolescents
Out of All Teens	55.5
High Fiber Cereal²	
Out of All Teens	16.7
Out of Cereal Eaters	30.1

¹One bowl equals one serving.

²High fiber cereals are defined as those having 3 or more grams of dietary fiber per serving.

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Table 14: Belief by California Adolescents About How Much of Grains Eaten Should Come from Whole Grains (N=1,207)

Whole grains are found in foods like whole wheat bread, oatmeal, brown rice, Triscuits, Wheat Thins, Raisin-Bran or Nutri-grain. How much of all the grain foods you eat every day do you think should come from whole grains? Would you say...

	Proportion of Grain Products that Should be Whole Grain, Percent of Adolescents	
	Less than Half	Half or More
Total	23.2	76.8
Gender		
Male	26.0	74.0 *
Female	20.3	79.7
Ethnicity		
White	15.7	84.3 ***
African American	37.7	62.3
Latino	27.3	72.7
Asian/Other	24.5	75.5
Gender by Age		
Male		
12-13	25.4	74.6
14-15	25.8	74.2
16-17	26.8	73.2
Female		
12-13	23.3	76.7
14-15	18.0	82.0
16-17	20.5	79.5
Income		
<\$15,000	28.0	72.0 ***
\$15,000 - \$24,999	37.8	62.2
\$25,000 - \$34,999	25.0	75.0
\$35,000 - \$49,999	26.4	73.6
\$50,000 - \$74,999	13.5	86.5
≥ \$75,000	16.8	83.2
CalFresh Status, % FPL¹		
Participant	26.8	73.2 ***
Likely Eligible ≤ 130%	29.8	70.2
Not Eligible > 185%	16.4	83.6
Smoking Status		
Non-Smoker	23.3	76.7
Smoker	23.0	77.0
Physical Activity Status		
Regular	23.6	76.4
Irregular	22.7	77.3
Overweight Status		
Not Overweight	20.8	79.2 **
Overweight/Obese	28.2	71.8

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Table 15: Servings of Beans Eaten by California Adolescents (N=1,217)

Yesterday how many servings of beans did you eat? This would include kidney beans, refried beans, chilibeans, black beans, bean soup, bean salad, or lentils but does NOT include green beans.

	Servings of Beans Reported, Percent of Adolescents			
	0	1.0	2+	
Total	70.0	19.6	10.4	
Gender				
Male	68.5	17.2	14.3	***
Female	71.6	22.1	6.2	
Ethnicity				
White	76.6	13.4	10.0	***
African American	76.8	13.3	9.9	
Latino	58.4	30.0	11.6	
Asian/Other	81.7	10.4	7.9	
Gender by Age				
Male				
12-13	68.3	20.7	10.9	
14-15	66.7	16.3	17.0	
16-17	71.0	14.7	14.3	
Female				
12-13	70.6	19.4	9.9	***
14-15	67.1	29.4	3.5	
16-17	79.3	14.4	6.3	
Income				
<\$15,000	64.1	26.5	9.3	***
\$15,000 - \$24,999	60.5	28.0	11.6	
\$25,000 - \$34,999	65.6	23.8	10.6	
\$35,000 - \$49,999	63.0	32.3	4.6	
\$50,000 - \$74,999	79.2	11.4	9.3	
≥ \$75,000	76.5	11.4	12.1	
CalFresh Status, % FPL¹				
Participant	63.4	27.8	8.8	***
Likely Eligible ≤ 130%	60.8	27.4	11.8	
Not Eligible > 185%	77.6	11.3	11.1	
Smoking Status				
Non-Smoker	70.7	19.5	9.8	*
Smoker	60.1	21.5	18.4	
Physical Activity Status				
Regular	70.1	17.1	12.8	***
Irregular	70.0	23.7	6.3	
Overweight Status				
Not Overweight	71.7	16.5	11.7	***
Overweight/Obese	65.6	26.3	8.1	

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Table 24: Consumption of Meat Among California Adolescents (N=1,220)

Do you eat any kind of animal foods like beef, pork, poultry or fish?

Yesterday, how many servings of meat, poultry, fish, and eggs did you eat?

	Percent of Adolescents	
	Report Not Eating Meat or Animal Foods	Ate Meat or Eggs Yesterday, Out of Those Who Report Eating Animal Foods (N=1,152)
Total	7.4	91.2
Gender		
Male	7.7	92.8 *
Female	7.0	89.4
Ethnicity		
White	4.6 ***	91.8 **
African American	1.2	91.8
Latino	5.4	88.3
Asian/Other	23.6	98.7
Gender by Age		
Male		
12-13	3.7 *	93.4
14-15	9.5	93.2
16-17	9.6	91.7
Female		
12-13	2.0 **	83.7 **
14-15	9.0	94.4
16-17	9.5	88.8
Income		
≤\$15,000	7.2 *	87.3 *
\$15,000 - \$24,999	4.5	88.5
\$25,000 - \$34,999	11.7	94.3
\$35,000 - \$49,999	3.9	88.8
\$50,000 - \$74,999	1.3	91.3
≥ \$75,000	7.9	94.5
CalFresh Status, % FPL¹		
Participant	7.8 *	87.8 *
Likely Eligible ≤ 130%	3.2	90.8
Not Eligible > 185%	6.4	93.5
Smoking Status		
Non-Smoker	7.4	91.1
Smoker	6.6	91.6
Physical Activity Status		
Regular	7.4	91.0
Irregular	7.4	91.5
Overweight Status		
Not Overweight	8.7 *	91.2
Overweight/Obese	5.0	92.4

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